

# **2020-2021 GRADUATE FELLOWSHIPS**

## **NEW JERSEY SPACE GRANT CONSORTIUM**

### **A NASA – Sponsored Program**

The New Jersey Space Grant Consortium (NJS GC) is pleased to announce the availability of fellowships at \$5,000 each for entering full-time graduate students (thesis masters or Ph.D.) in New Jersey universities studying science, technology, engineering, or mathematics (STEM).

#### **Background**

The New Jersey Space Grant Consortium was established in 1991 by a grant from the National Aeronautics and Space Administration (NASA). The objectives of the Consortium are to develop programs to further space science and research, aerospace and STEM education, as well as to foster research and development in New Jersey.

#### **Fellowship Details**

- The objective of the award is to provide support for students entering a graduate program in a STEM topic at a New Jersey university. The applicant must be
  - United States citizen (permanent residents are not eligible),
  - Enrolled as a new student in a STEM graduate program at a New Jersey university,
  - Enrolled as a full-time student (nine credits or more) and working towards a degree that requires a research thesis (Master of Science with thesis or Ph.D.),
  - Must not have any other financial support in the form of teaching or research assistant, fellowship, employer paid tuition, or other support with a stipend of more than \$7,500.
- NASA requires NJS GC to conduct longitudinal tracking of its fellowship recipients. The fellowship recipient will be asked to provide NJS GC proof of citizenship, as well as pledge to inform NJS GC about their progress and career selection for a period of five years after the end of the fellowship. Please note: Such information is requested by NASA for statistical purposes. The data we collect will only be shared with NASA in aggregate form.
- Underrepresented minorities are especially encouraged to apply.
- The fellowship recipient must conduct research relevant to one of NASA's Mission Directorates, as outlined in the web site <http://www.nasa.gov/about/directorates/index.html>

#### **Additional Information**

Additional Information can be found at our web site, <http://njsgc.rutgers.edu> or by contacting the Program Coordinator, Mr. Joseph S. Miles, at [jmiles@stevens.edu](mailto:jmiles@stevens.edu) or 201-216-8964, or the Director, Dr. Haim Baruh, at [baruh@soe.rutgers.edu](mailto:baruh@soe.rutgers.edu) or 848-445-3680. Our mailing address is: New Jersey Space Grant Consortium, School of Engineering, 98 Brett Road, Piscataway, N.J., 08854.

**NEW JERSEY SPACE GRANT CONSORTIUM  
APPLICATION FORM for GRADUATE FELLOWSHIPS  
FOR FALL 2020 SEMESTER**

**Please submit to: Academic official associated with the graduate program you are entering (graduate program director, department chair, ...). Priority will be given to applications received before May 31, 2020.**

**Supporting documents needed (should be sent together with the application):**

1. Transcript(s) (undergraduate and graduate, unofficial is OK).
2. Personal statement describing career goals and proposed research (<300 words).
3. One letter of recommendation.

Name (last, first)	
Address (mailing)	
Phone, email	
Date of birth	
Gender	<input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female
Ethnicity	White African Am. Hispanic Native Am. Other
Undergraduate degree (subject, institution)	
Graduation date and GPA	
Academic institution of graduate program	
Department/Division	
Enrollment date, no. of credits	
Date and signature	
Certification by academic official	Certification required for: new student, enrolled full time and in a degree requiring a thesis, no additional support over \$7,500.
Name and signature of academic official	